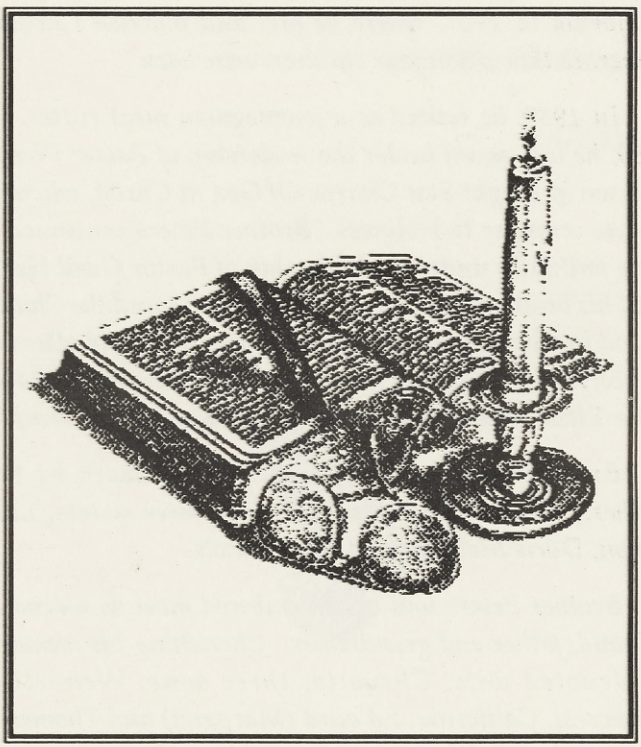
In Loving Memory

Of

Brother Thomas J. Peters



Tuesday, April 20, 1999

2:00 P.M.

Bright Star Church Of God In Christ

9622 Beach Street

Los Angeles, California 90002

Superintendent Odell Heard

Pastor / Officiating

Obituary

Thomas J. Peters was born to the late Chester and Victoria Peters on December 28, 1935 in New Orleans, Louisiana. He departed this life April 12, 1999, the eighth of eleven children born to this union.

He attended the public schools in New Orleans, Louisiana. Thomas served two years in the U.S. Navy. He was discharged in 1957 and moved to Los Angeles, California in 1957, where he met and married Chrystia Oliver, to this union four children were born.

In 1989, he retired as a journeyman meat cutter. In 1980, he was saved under the leadership of Pastor Wesley Dickson at Bright Star Church Of God In Christ, where he was no stranger to Holiness. Brother Peters continued to serve faithfully under the leadership of Pastor Odell Heard until his health failed him. Brother Peters loved the Church of God in Christ so much that each year he would attended the Holy Convocation in Memphis, Tennessee and he stayed at the Eliza Mason Hall on the grounds of Mason Temple.

Brother Peters was predeceased in death by two brothers, Charles, and Arnold Peters; three sisters, Lucy Brown, Doris Marquez and Iris Sprawls.

Brother Peters will be remembered most as a devoted husband, father and grandfather. Cherishing his memory, his devoted wife, Chrystia; three sons, Wendell of Ridgecrest, California, Ed'ourd (Margaret) and Thomas of Los Angeles, California; two daughters, Tanya Peters of Atlanta, Georgia and Shelia Miranda of Rialto, California; two brothers, Harold Peters of Los Angeles, California and Darrell Peters of Oxen Hill, Maryland; three sisters, Vernadine Perosser, Lois Evans, and Delores Jackson all of New Orleans, Louisiana; three grandsons, Sean, Alonza and Erik; three granddaughters, Elysia, Breyn and Tiffany, Jessica; two god-daughters, Ariel and Tomisha and a host of other relatives and friends.

Sunrise:
December 28, 1935

Sunset:
April 12, 1999

He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High shall abide the shadow of the Almighty.
Psalm 91:1

Order Of Service

ORGAN PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL

SCRIPTURES

Old Testament . . . . . Elder Willie Henry

New Testament . . . . . Minister Steve McClain

SELECTION ~ "I Won't Complain" . . . . Sis Edora Broom

OBITUARY . . . . . Evang. Addie Heard

REMARKS ~ (Three Minutes Please)

RESOLUTION . . . . . Evang. Ellen Davis

SELECTION . . . . . Elder Robert Jessie, Sr.
"Just A Closer Walk With Thee"

EULOGY . . . . . Supt. Odell Heard

PARTING VIEW

RECESSIONAL

Interment
Inglewood Park Cemetery
720 east Florence Avenue
Inglewood, California

Active Pallbearers

REGINALD WOODS

JOHNNY SIMMONS

GEORGE STUBBLEFIELD

MELVIN MORRIS

RANDY MAY

Agape Funeral Home
4250 South Central Avenue
Los Angeles, California 90011
Tel: (323) 235-5311 ~ Fax: (323) 235-8982
Funeral Directors

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